

Harry and Eliza Briggs, and Levi Pearson in recognition of their contributions to the Nation as pioneers in the effort to desegregate public schools that led directly to the landmark desegregation case of *Brown et al. v. the Board of Education of Topeka et al.*;

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Suspensions Postponed: The following measures were debated under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed until Wednesday, November 19:

Captive Wildlife Safety Act: H.R. 1006, amended, to amend the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 to further the conservation of certain wildlife species;

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Expressing the sense of Congress regarding the importance of motorsports: H. Con. Res. 320, expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the importance of motorsports;

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National Museum of African-American History and Culture Act: H.R. 3491, to establish within the Smithsonian Institution the National Museum of African American History and Culture;

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Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003—Motion to Instruct Conferees: The House debated the Berkley motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 1, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a voluntary prescription drug benefit under the medicare program and to strengthen and improve the medicare program.

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Representative Hooley of Oregon announced her intention to offer a motion to instruct conferees on the bill.

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Labor/HHS Appropriations—Motion to Instruct Conferees: The House agreed to the Kennedy of Rhode Island motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004.

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Representative Kildee announced his intention to offer a motion to instruct conferees on the bill.

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Presidential Message: Received a message from the President wherein he transmitted the 2003 National Money Laundering Strategy—referred to the Committees on the Judiciary and Financial Services (H. Doc. 108–143).

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Senate Message: Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H11361.

Senate Referrals: S. 1743 was referred to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and Judiciary.

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Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 12 midnight.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Meetings

ENERGY POLICY ACT

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate and House passed versions of H.R. 6, to enhance energy conservation and research and development, to provide for security and diversity in the energy supply for the American people.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D 1271)

H.R. 1442, to authorize the design and construction of a visitor center for the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. Signed on November 17, 2003. (Public Law 108–126).

H.R. 3288, to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to make technical corrections with respect to the definition of qualifying State. Signed on November 17, 2003. (Public Law 108–127).

S. 677, to revise the boundary of the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and Gunnison Gorge National Conservation Area in the State of Colorado. Signed on November 17, 2003. (Public Law 108–128).

S. 924, to authorize the exchange of lands between an Alaska Native Village Corporation and the Department of the Interior. Signed on November 17, 2003. (Public Law 108–129).

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2003

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine current Army issues, 9 a.m., SH–216.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending military nominations, 2:30 p.m., SR–222.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the threat of agroterrorism, 9:30 a.m., SD–342.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine S.741, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with regard to new animal

drugs, proposed Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act, proposed Medical Device Technical Corrections Act, proposed Organ Donation and Recovery Improvement Act, and pending nominations, Time to be announced, S-216, Capitol.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine pending judicial nominations, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Armed Services, hearing on U.S. National Security Strategy, 2:30 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection, hearing entitled "Cybersecurity and Consumer Data: What's at Risk for the Consumer?" 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet, hearing entitled "Digital Dividends and Other Proposals to Leverage Investment in Technology," 10:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on Technology, Information Policy, Intergovernmental Relations and the Census, to consider H.R. 3478, National Archives and Records Administration Efficiency Act of 2003, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on House Administration, to mark up H.R. 2844, Continuity in Representation Act of 2003, 3 p.m., 1310 Longworth.

Committee on International Relations, Subcommittee on the Middle East and Central Asia and the Subcommittee on International Terrorism, Nonproliferation and Human Rights, joint hearing on Afghanistan: Democratization and Human Rights on the Eve of the Constitutional *Loya Jirga*, 1:30 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, oversight hearing entitled "Saving the Savings Clause: Congressional Intent, the *Trinko* Case, and the role of the Antitrust Laws in Promoting Competition in the Telecom Sector," 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing to review progress being made by the Department of Defense and the Department of Veterans Affairs with the sharing of medical information and development of a seamless electronic medical record, 10:30 a.m., 334 Cannon.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Human Resources, hearing on Improved Monitoring of Vulnerable Children, 2 p.m., B-318 Rayburn.

Joint Meetings

Conference: A closed meeting of conferees on H.R. 2417, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2004 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, 2 p.m., S-407, Capitol.